A **Public Meeting** will be held September 9, 2003 to discuss the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Lower Mud River at Milton, WV. The meeting will take place at the Milton Baptist Multipurpose Facility located at the corner of Church Street and Pike Street in Milton, West Virginia. The public meeting will run from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. All citizens and interested parties are welcome to participate.

Copies of the Draft LRR/SEIS are available for inspection at the locations identified below:

- 1) Cabell County Library, 455 Ninth Street Plaza, Huntington, WV 25701
- 2) Milton Public Library, 11401 Smith Street, Milton, WV 25541
- 3) Barboursville Public Library, 728 Main Street, Barboursville, WV 25504
- 4) http://www.lrh.usace.army.mil/

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SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), Huntington District has prepared this Limited Reevaluation Report and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) – Supplement 1.0. This report focuses on providing flood protection for the City of Milton, Cabell County, West Virginia against flooding such as occurred in December 1978, March 1997, and February 2003. In accordance with the requirements of NEPA, the potential impacts to the natural, physical, and human environment associated with proposed flood damage reduction measures for the City of Milton (Milton Local Protection Project) are evaluated.

Copies of the document may be obtained by contacting USACE Huntington District Office of the Corps of Engineers at 304-529-5712. Comments pertaining to the documents should be directed by letter to the following address, by **September 30**, **2003**.

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